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SUBJECT:GOY POST-NPT REVCON POLICY REVIEW

REF: BELGRADE 2912 B. GENEVA 4081

"FOLLOWING IS A REPEAT
QUOTE

C O N F I D E N T I A L BELGRADE 3281

1. AUSTRALIAN EMBASSY ALSO DISCUSSED WITH FSFA POSSIBILITY OF GOY POLICY CHANGES AS CONSEQUENCE OF YUGOSLAV DISSATISFACTION WITH REVCON AND NPT AS MEANS OF PROVIDING FOR THEIR SECURITY AND LIMITING PROLIFERATION OF NUCLEAR ARMS. AUSTRALIAN EMBOFF DISCUSSED QUESTION WITH DRAGOMIR DJOKIC, MEMBER OF FSFA/IO POLITICAL GROUP AND OF DELEGATION TO REVCON. WHILE VUKOVIC, WITH WHOMWE ALSO HAD TALKED, WOULD ONLY INDICATE THAT GOY POLICY WOULD UNDERGO REVIEW, DJOKIC TOLD AUSTRALIANS THAT GOY MIGHT CONSIDER WHETHER IT SHOULD RECLAIM SOVEREIGN RIGHT OF OPTION TO ACQUIRE NUCLEAR WEAPONS WHICH IT RENOUNCED IN SIGNING NPT. DJOKIC REPORTEDLY SPOKE OF THIS ONLY AS ONE POSSIBLE RESULT OF POLICY REVIEW, WHICH WOULD NECESSITATE ABROGATION OF NPT BY GOY.

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2. FOR DEPARTMENT'S ADDITIONAL INFORMATION, AND BECAUSE OF POSSIBILITY OF ERRONEOUS NEWS STORY, WE ALSO REPORT FOLLOWING: BELGRADE AFP CORRESPONDENT (RAFFAELI) TOLD

EMBOFF THAT SOVIET EMBASSY IS SPREADING WORD THAT YUGOSLAVS ARE PREPARING TO ACQUIRE NUCLEAR WEAPONS CAPABILITY. FAFFAELI ALSO RELATED INFORMATION THAT SOVIETS WILL ASSIST YUGOSLAVS IN ACQUIRING NUCLEAR CAPABILITY BY PARTICIPATING IN BUILDING NUCLEAR REACTOR IN SERBIA. HE SAID WEST GERMANS WILL COOPERATE ON SECOND REACTOR IN SLOVENIA.

3. COMMENT: WHILE MENTION WAS MADE IN COMMUNIQUE OF BIJEDIC VISIT TO MOSCOW IN APRIL OF SOVIET-YUGOSLAV AGREEMENT UNDER WHICH YUGOSLAVS WOULD BUILD EQUIPMENT FOR NUCLEAR POWER STATIONS, WE ARE UNABLE TO CONFIRM AND DISBELIEVE RAFFAELI'S INFORMATION ABOUT POSSIBLE SOVIET AND GERMAN PARTICIPATION IN BUILDING ADDITIONAL NUCLEAR REACTORS IN YUGOSLAVIA, ESPECIALLY TO ENABLE YUGOSLAVS TO ACQUIRE NUCLEAR ARMS CAPABILITY. SOVIET EMBASSY'S STATEMENT THAT YUGOSLAVS ARE PLANNING TO GO NUCLEAR HAS STRONG SMELL OF DISINFORMATION. BY FLOATING STORY SOVIETS COULD DRAW INTERNATIONAL CONDEMNATION OF ALLEGED YUGOSLAV INTENTIONS AND FORESTALL ANY PLANS IN THIS DIRECTION. RAFFAELI INDICATED HE MAY USE INFORMATION FOR ARTICLE IN NEAR FUTURE AND BASED ON OUR PAST OBSERVATIONS OF HIS REPORTING, IT MAY BE OVERLY SPECULATIVE AND ALARMING. SILBERMAN UNQUOTE KISSINGER

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